



**Salem Numismatic Society P.O. Box 2051, Salem, OR 97308. 503-588-8162. [www.oregoncoinclubs.org](http://www.oregoncoinclubs.org)  
Meet 3rd Monday ea. month @ Scottish Rite Center, 4090 Commercial St. SE, Salem. **6:30 PM. Doors open 6:00 PM.****

### From Your Board:

Thank you for being a member of the Salem Numismatic Society! **This is your club** – make 2023 the best year ever. With your help and energy, we can advance our wonderful hobby. Reach out and invite guests and help our membership grow. Our meetings are fun, educational, and filled with great numismatic prizes and surprises. Your suggestions for special events and ways to improve our meetings are welcome – just chat with a board member. We will continue Big Ben's Treasure Chest, programs, membership, and white elephant prizes (gold, silver, mint and proof sets, silver coins and more), and coin auctions. **Keep bringing guests** and encourage guests to become members.

**Club members:** Guests, new members, birthdays, and juniors get 1 free White Elephant ticket. Bring a guest and get free White Elephant ticket and a special silver coin reward. Future meetings: March 20<sup>th</sup>, April 17<sup>th</sup>, May 15<sup>th</sup>, June 19<sup>th</sup>, July 17<sup>th</sup>, August 21<sup>st</sup>, September 18<sup>th</sup>, October 17<sup>th</sup>, November 20<sup>th</sup>, and December 18<sup>th</sup>. **Next Board Meeting:** March 27<sup>th</sup> at *Walerys Pizza*, 1555 Edgewater NW, West Salem (6:00 pm).



**White Elephant** raffle tickets: \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00 or 13 tickets for \$10.00 or 19 tickets for \$15.00 or 27 tickets for \$20.00. Ticket sales help the club; more sales means more silver coin prizes. Winning is fun and we have many winners every meeting. Bring your tickets for the special quarterly drawing – you can win a gold coin or gold item or wonderful silver coin. The next quarterly drawing will be at our March 20 meeting. Save your tickets!



**February 2023 winners:** Special drawings – lots of winners! Third edition of Big Ben's Treasure Chest: Congrats to all the winners! Membership capsule drawings at each meeting. Adults and YN winners will receive silver *Walking Liberty, Franklin, or Kennedy* half dollars.

**March Meeting.** Our annual 'bring-and-brag' program. **Bring an interesting coin, medal, banknote or something of numismatic interest.** Ideas: your oldest coin, your most treasured coin, the rarest coin in your collection. **You get 2 minutes to share your treasured possession with the club.** Big Ben's Treasure Chest, membership drawing, White Elephants, and coin auction. *Danny B.* places all won items in named envelopes for payment and collection at the end of the auction. Winners pay at front table, then, sellers come and collect. We appreciate volunteers up front to help.

### Other tidbits from the coin till....

Stay informed – PNNA <http://pnna.org/news/norwester.html> *Danny B.* is our Oregon representative to PNNA and ANA. See <http://www.oregoncoinclubs.org/clubs/salem.html> for information about Oregon coin clubs. *John B.* needs your ideas for ANA programs – can you help? *Mark Ht.* and *Joanne S.* are always looking for speakers and show-and-tell presentations. *Charlene F.* mails our newsletters – if you want online, let her know.

**Mid-Valley CC** meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month at the Villas of Courtyard Village, 1929 Grand Prairie Road SE, Albany, 7:00 pm. **Polk County CC** meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month at the Polk County Fairgrounds, 520 S. Pacific Hwy. West, Rickreall, 7:00 pm. **Springfield CC** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday each month at Putters, 1156 St. Hwy 99, Eugene, 6:00 PM. **Willamette CC** meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month at Garden Home Recreation Center, 7475 SW Oleson Road, Portland, 6:00 PM. Stay informed about meetings/shows at [www.oregoncoinclubs.org](http://www.oregoncoinclubs.org). **Great websites** for you! American Numismatic Association <https://www.money.org/> Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association <https://pnna.org/> and *Selected Numismatic Websites* - a must see page – hotlinks to dozens of websites [https://pnna.org/info/outside\\_links.html](https://pnna.org/info/outside_links.html).

**Upcoming coin shows:** **March 19, OR Coin/Currency/Token/Medal Show**, Holiday Inn, 25425 SW 95<sup>th</sup> Ave., Wilsonville. **April 14-16, 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual PNNA Convention and Coin Show**, Tukwila, WA. **Join the PNNA.** <https://pnna.org/info/membership.html>



**SNS Board 2023. President *Jim B.*, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President *James F.*, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP *Mark Ht.*, Treasurer *Danny B.*, Chief Facility Director *John B.*, Secretary *Charlene F.*, Program Director *Mark Ht.*, Program Assistant *Joanne S.*, Historian *Steve D.*, and at-large Board Members: *Mark Hb.*, *Gary H.*, *Monte M.*, *James Br.*, *Brad H.*, *Ben W.*, and YN *Logan D.***